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C O N F I D E N T I A L BRASILIA 5828

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAG: PFOR, HA, US

SUBJ: INQUIRY RE APPOINTMENT OF NEW US AMBBASSADOR TO HAITI

1. AT SEPT 7 PARADE, HAITIAN AMBASSADOR GERARD BOUCHETTE APPROACHED ME TO SAY THAT, AT THE REQUEST OF PRES. DUVALIER, HE WANTED TO ASK ME IF I KNEW WHEN THE APPOINTMENT OF A NEW US AMBASSADOR TO HAITI WOULD BE ANNOUNCED. PRESUMABLY AS AN EXPLANATION OF THE RATHER UNUSUAL APPROACH, BOUCHETTE WENT ON QUICKLY TO SAY THAT HE WAS GOING TO BE THE NEW HAITIAN AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON. (HE SAID HE WAS DELIGHTED WITH THE APPOINTMENT, WHICH HAD BEEN A LIFELONG GOAL.)

2. BOUCHETTE STATED THAT PRESIDENT DUVALIER WAS CONCERNED THAT NINE MONTHS HAD PASSED WITHOUT AN AMERICAN AMBASSADOR IN PORT-AU-PRINCE, PARTICULARLY BECAUSE THERE WERE A NUMBER OF IMPORTANT PROBLEMS REQUIRING ATTENTION.

3. I SAID I WOULD TRANSMIT THE INQUIRY.

4. I AM NOT PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN BEING A CHANNEL, BUT IF THE DEPT WANTS ME TO PURSUE THIS MATTER WITH BOUCHETTE, PLEASE LET ME KNOW..
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